



How To Install Storm Drain Markers

Storm drain markers are reminders that storm drains are only for rain.

Water that flows into storm drains empties into our natural waterways. Anything else — oils, pesticides, chemicals, trash and debris — damages and pollutes the environment.

Follow these three easy steps:



1 Make sure that the surface is clean, dry and free of any loose debris. Use a wire or scrub brush to clean the surface where the marker will be attached.



2 Apply adhesive to the back of the storm drain marker. Put a spot of adhesive in the middle and around the outside edge of the marker.



3 Apply the storm drain marker to the surface. Push down on the marker with pressure, using a twisting motion, forcing adhesive from the edge. Seal the entire diameter of the marker to the surface.

Tips: Adhesive should fully harden within 24 hours.



- Use 1/8" of adhesive around the edge to ensure a good seal. Too much adhesive trapped under the marker can slow down the cure time.
- Make sure surface is flat. The marker will not adhere to uneven surfaces.
- Do not glue onto metal storm drain grates.
- Push down on the edge so that it is "tight" to the surface.
- Wash hands thoroughly after each installation.

For free storm drain markers, contact:



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